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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
S. Ward Casscells, III

Serial No. 09/740,147

Filed: December 17, 2000

For: Ablation of Atrial Fibrillation by
Thermal Apoptosis

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STATEMENT REGARDING SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION


Dear Sir:

This Statement Regarding Substitute Specification is being filed pursuant to MPEP § 1.125(b)(1) stating that it includes no new matter.

Respectfully submitted,

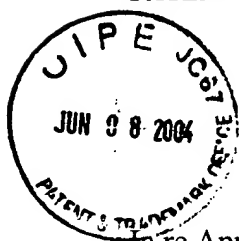
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Transmittal Letter

Dear Sir:

Enclosed are the following:

1. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a);
2. Amendment; Response to Office Action dated December 8, 2003;
3. Statement Regarding Substitute Specification;
4. Substitute Specification;
5. Set of Clean Claims; and
6. Acknowledgement Postcard.

McDaniel & Associates, P.C. is aware that there is a fee for such filing of extension of time and hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge this fee and any additional fees necessary to McDaniel & Associates P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-1085.

Respectfully submitted,

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